



County Seat: Cut Bank

Glacier County Health Profile, October 2004

Glacier County Health Department

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The Blackfeet Reservation is located primarily in Glacier County.

DEMOGRAPHICS	Glacier					Montana						
Area	2,995 square miles					145,552 square miles						
Population Density and Status	4.4/ sq. mi. (frontier)				6.3/ sq. mi. (10 rural, 45 frontier, 1 urban)							
Urban Population ¹	57.9%				54.1%							
Population ² :	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other	Male	Female	White	Am Ind	Other		
Gender	6,524	6,658	4,591	8,276	315	453,738	456,634	829,147	58,167	23,058		
Race Age	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18	0-4	5-9	10-13	14-17	<18		
Age	1,100	1,088	1,010	1,158	4,356	53,422	56,893		56,138	218,777		
	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+	18-24	25-44	45-64	65+	18+		
	1,415	3,325	2,806	1,280	8,826	93,543	235,792	238,475		691,595		
	Total Population: 13,182											
Educational Attainment of the	HS Gra	HS Graduate (or GED) Bachelor Degree				i						
Population 25 years or Older ¹		79%	. 010)	17%			87%	24%				
	Largest industries and percent of all jobs					Largest industries and percent of all jobs						
Full- and Part-time Employment, by Industry (three largest)	State and local government (26.7%)					Retail trade (12.4%)						
	Accommodation/food services (12.5%)					State and local government (12%)						
	Incomplete data (12.4%)					Health care/social assistance (10.5%)						
(Notable others ≥ 10% of all jobs)	None					None						
Unemployment Rate ³	11.7%				4.7%							
Median Household Income ¹	\$27,921				\$33,024							
Per Capita Income ⁴	\$27,921 \$18,192				\$24,831							
Percent of Population Below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) ¹ : by Age Group by Income as a Percent of FPL	All ages <18			18+	65+	All a	ages			65+		
			33%	24%	20%		14.6%		18+ 13%	9%		
	50%			150%	200%		50% 10		150%	200%		
	11%		3%	45%	57%	6%		6%	26%	37%		
Percent of Population with Health		icaid	.070	Medicare			Medicaid		Medicare			
Care Costs covered by a												
Government Payor	36.1%		10.6%				3%	15.4%				
Percent of Persons 21 Years and	21 - 64			55 and old		21 -		65 and older				
Older with a Disability (number) ¹	19% (1,276) 46% (543)			3)	17% (85,337) 40% (45,284)							
Live Births per 1,000 Population ⁵	18.3 (n = 1,186)				12.2 (n = 54,508)							
Deaths per 1,000 Population⁵	8.5 (n = 551)				9.1 (n = 40,837)							
Median Age:	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All	Male	Fem	White	Am Ind	All		
by Gender, Race ¹	28.9	32.4	40.4	24.8	30.6	36.6	38.5	38.8	24.4	37.5		
at Death ⁵ (number of deaths)	64.5 (300)	76 (251)	78.5 (230)	62.5 (320)	70 (551)	75 (20,806)	(20,028)	79 (38,716)	62 (1.058)	78 (40.837)		
(Humber of deaths)	(300)	(231)	(230)	(320)	(551)	(20,000)	(20,020)	(30,710)	(1,958)	(40,837)		

¹ Census 2000.

² 2002 Census Bureau estimate.

⁴ 2002 U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis.

³ 2003 MT Dept. Labor & Industry.
⁵ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

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HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS	Glacier				Montana				
Fertility Rates (teen births per 1,000 teen females;	Т	Teen All Womer		omen	Teen		All Women		
all births per 1,000 females of childbearing age) ⁶	91.8 ((n=283)	86.8 (n=1,186)		36.2 (r	n=6,357)	59.5 (n=54,508)		
Prenatal Care (percent beginning care in the first trimester;		imester	Adequacy		at ,		ì	quacy	
percent receiving adequate, i.e., early and continuous prenatal care) ⁶	67	'.9%	52.6%				.2%		
Percent Low Birthweight (below 5 lbs. 8 oz.) ⁶		5.1%			6.8%				
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ⁶	5.1				6.8				
Cancer Incidence Rate (diagnoses per 100,000 population) ⁷	462.2 (95% C.I. ±58.6)				474.3 (95% C.I. ±6.2)				
Leading Causes of Death ⁶		1. CANCER 2. HEART DISEASE			1. HEART DISEASE 2. CANCER				
		3. ACCIDENT				3. CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE			
Heart Disease Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	162.4 (n=105)				221.2 (n=9,913)				
Age-adjusted Heart Disease Death Rate ⁶	211.2				203.4				
Motor Vehicle Accident Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	65 (n=42)				24.5 (n=1,097)				
Suicide Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	12.4 (n=8)				18.5 (n=830)				
Traumatic Injury Death Rate (per 100,000 population) ⁶	72.7 (n=47)				55.6 (n=2,490)				
Percent of Motor Vehicle Crashes Involving Alcohol	22.1% (n=241)				9.8% (n=10,833)				
Percent of the Medicaid Population Receiving Mental Health Services (FY2003)		5.3%				17.7%			
Percent of 2-yr. Olds Seen by a Health Care Provider that are Fully Immunized (2003)	94% (n=66)				90% (n=2,439)				
STD Incidence Rate (reported cases per 100,000)	1,307.2 (n=845)				207.0 (n=9,277)				
HEALTH RESOURCE ASSESSMENT, 2002	Glacier			Montana					
Local Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals (CAH),	Local H	Hospitals	CAH	# beds	Local F	Hospitals	CAH	# beds	
and Total Number of Beds		0 1		20	21 local; 2 psychiatric; 1 VA		40	2,902	
Rural Health Clinics, Community Health Centers, and IHS-Tribal Health Facilities (number)	RHC 1	CHC 1	IHS-Tribal 1		RHC 40	CHC 20	IHS-Tribal 14		
Availability of Basic and Enhanced 9-1-1 Services		Ва	sic		Basic-all counties; Enhanced-21 counties				
Availability of Emergency Medical Services:		# Glacier County Locations							
Basic Life Support Services		3 Babb, Browning, Cut Bank							
Advanced Life Support Services		1 Cut Bank							
Nursing Homes (number of facilities and beds)		2 (86	beds)		100 (7,374 beds)				
Aging Services: number of Assisted Living Facilities [ALF], Adult Foster Care [AFC], and Adult Day Care [ADC] Licenses		(# beds)	AFC	ADC	ALF (# beds)	AFC	ADC	
		(12)	0	0		(3,597)	119	63	
Home Care Services: number of Home Health Agency [HHA] and Hospice Licenses		ННА		Hospice		HHA		spice	
		3		0		76		31	
Public Health Resources: number of full-time equivalent Public Health Nurses [PHN], Registered Sanitarians [RS],	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	PHN	RS	RD	HlthEd	
Registered Dietitians [RD], and Health Educators [HlthEd]		0.5	0	0	124.4	84.5	14.0	41.3	
Primary Care Provider Resources: number of doctors [MDs and DOs], Nurse Midwives [NMW], Nurse Practitioners [NP], and Physician's Assistants [PA-C]		NMW	NP	PA-C	MD/DO	NMW	NP	PA-C	
		0	7	5	881	34	314	264	
Dental Resources: Dentists and Dental Hygienists	2 dentists 2 hygienists				505 dentists 437 hygienists				
Health Care Provider Shortage Status:		Federal HPSA: All							
Health Professional Shortage Areas [HPSA]									
Medically Underserved Areas or Populations [MUA/MUP]	MUA/MU					***************************************			
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⁶ 1998-2002, Office of Vital Statistics, DPHHS.

⁷ 1998-2002, age-adjusted, Montana Tumor Registry, DPHHS.